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Application Number	09/843,197
Filing Date	4/26/2001
First Named Inventor	Patrick Chiu
Art Unit	2178
Examiner Name	C. Huynh
Attorney Docket Number	FXPL-01024US0

**This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR 1.114 of the above-identified application.**  
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- a. ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 CFR 1.103(c) for a period of \_\_\_\_\_ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 CFR 1.17(i) required)
- b. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_
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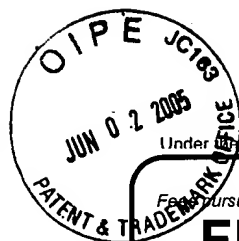
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Effective on 12/08/2004.

Fee pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818).

**FEE TRANSMITTAL**  
**For FY 2005**☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27**TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT** (\$) **790.****Complete if Known**

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Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		Fees Paid (\$)
	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

**2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES**

Fee Description	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)
Each claim over 20 or, for Reissues, each claim over 20 and more than in the original patent	50	25
Each independent claim over 3 or, for Reissues, each independent claim more than in the original patent	200	100
Multiple dependent claims	360	180

Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)	Multiple Dependent Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
14	- 20 or HP = 0	x	=			
HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20						
Indep. Claims	Extra Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)			
2	- 3 or HP = 0	x	=			
HP = highest number of independent claims paid for, if greater than 3						

**3. APPLICATION SIZE FEE**

If the specification and drawings exceed 100 sheets of paper, the application size fee due is \$250 (\$125 for small entity) for each additional 50 sheets or fraction thereof. See 35 U.S.C. 41(a)(1)(G) and 37 CFR 1.16(s).

Total Sheets	Extra Sheets	Number of each additional 50 or fraction thereof	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
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**4. OTHER FEE(S)**

Non-English Specification, \$130 fee (no small entity discount)

Other: Request for Continued Examination**Fees Paid (\$)**790.00**SUBMITTED BY**

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application

Inventors: Patrick Chiu, et al.

Application No.: 09/843,197

Confirm. No.: 8826

Date Filed: April 26, 2001

Title: **Internet-Based System for Multimedia  
Meeting Minutes**

PATENT APPLICATION

Art Unit: 2178

Examiner: Cong Lac T. Huynh

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**REPLY C TO OFFICE ACTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114**  
**AND EXAMINER INTERVIEW SUMMARY**

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Sir:

This REPLY C is in response to the Advisory Action mailed May 18, 2005 and the Final Office Action mailed March 25, 2005. This Reply is being filed in conjunction with a Request for Continued Examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114, together with the appropriate fee.

No fee is due for the addition of any new claims. Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this document. An Examiner Interview Summary is given on page 7 of this document. Remarks begin on page 8 of this document.